

Rodney House and Office
16 Third Street
New Castle, Delaware

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RODNEY HOUSE AND OFFICE
New Castle, New Castle County, DelawareOwner: Hon. Richard S. RodneyDate of Erection: 1831Builder: George B. RodneyPresent Condition: Good. Office added to original buildingNumber of Stories: Two and one half above basement for main portion. Two in office wing.Materials of Construction: Brick with tin roofs (formerly shingled), framing and woodwork as usual in this period.Other Existing Records: Rodney Family Records; Offices of Recorder of Deeds and Register of Wills of New Castle County.Additional Data: Architecturally characteristic of the work of this date in New Castle. In this case, a single city house with three windows symmetrically placed on second floor, with entrance door in right side centered somewhat under the above end window, and two basement windows under the two tiers above. The simple but decorative cornice is also a characteristic of the date.Laussat R. Rogers

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